



November 19, 2013

Duke Energy  
Miami Fort Generating Station  
11021 Brower Road  
North Bend, OH 45052

Attention: Mr. Michael Byrd  
Environmental Coordinator

Re: Results – **November 2013**  
Low-Level Mercury Sampling  
Miami Fort Generating Station  
North Bend, Ohio

In accordance with your request, URS prepared the following letter report transmitting low-level mercury test results for samples collected at the Miami Fort Generating Station located in North Bend, Ohio.

The scope of work involved the sampling of intake and discharge waters from the following sources and analysis of those samples for low-level mercury.

1. River Intake
2. Station 601 (WWT Influent)  
[Samples were collected at this station one detention time (approximately 14 hours as specified by Duke Energy) before samples collected at Outfall 608]
3. Outfall 608 (WWT Effluent)  
[Samples were collected at this outfall one detention time (approximately 14 hours as specified by Duke Energy) after samples collected at station 601]
4. Outfall 002 (Pond B Discharge)

Each sample was collected following the required Method 1669: *Sampling Ambient Water for Determination of Trace Metals at EPA Water Quality Criteria Levels* (Sampling Method) and analyzed by Method 1631E. At the request of Duke Energy, a dissolved low-level mercury sample was collected by Method 1669 from Outfall 608 and analyzed by Method 1631E. The collected dissolved sample was filtered at the laboratory utilizing 0.45 micron filtration.

Field staff from URS' Cincinnati office conducted the sampling and TestAmerica Laboratories Inc. located in North Canton, Ohio performed the analytical procedures. The analytical procedures included the analyses of a collected sample and duplicate sample (duplicates collected at Outfall 608 and Outfall 002), field blank (field blanks collected at the River Intake, Outfall 608, and Outfall 002), and trip blank.



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The results from the **November 4 and 5, 2013** sampling events are presented in the attached Table 1. A copy of the laboratory report is enclosed with this letter.

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URS is pleased to provide continued assistance to Duke Energy in the execution of their environmental monitoring requirements. If there are any questions regarding the content of this report, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

URS Corporation

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Michael A. Wagner", is positioned above the printed name.

Michael A. Wagner  
Project Manager

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Dennis P. Connair", is positioned above the printed name.

Dennis P. Connair, C.P.G.  
Principal

MAW/DPC/Duke Energy-MFS LL Hg 2013  
Job No. 14951061

**TABLE 1**  
**ANALYTICAL RESULTS**  
**LOW-LEVEL MERCURY**  
**RIVER INTAKE, STATION 601, OUTFALL 608, AND OUTFALL 002 (POND B)**  
  
**DUKE ENERGY - MIAMI FORT STATION**  
**NORTH BEND, OHIO**

Sample ID	Date Sampled / Results (ng/L, parts per trillion)					
	1/2-3/2013	2/4-5/2013	3/4-5/2013	4/1-2/2013	5/1-2/2013	6/3-4/2013
River Intake	4.1	15	6.0	2.1	1.8	1.8
Station 601 (7)	730,000	320,000	82,000	94,000	Not in Service	180,000
Station 601 (7) [duplicate]	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected		Not Collected
Station 601 (8)	330,000	370,000	140,000	130,000	280,000	130,000
Station 601 (8) [duplicate]	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected
Outfall 608	50	54	110	49	91	2.3
Outfall 608 [duplicate]	46	55	110	50	92	2.4
Outfall 608 [dissolved, 0.45 micron]	0.63	<0.50	1.2	<0.50	<0.50	0.72
APB-002	5.1	9.1	4.8	1.9	3.5	3.5
APB-002 [duplicate]	5.3	9.3	4.8	1.8	3.7	3.6
Field Blank (RI-FB)	1.0	1.2	2.5	1.6	1.1	0.87
Field Blank (WWT-FB)	<0.50	<0.50	9.1	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50
Field Blank (AP-FB)	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50
Trip Blank	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50

Samples collected by URS (Method 1669)

Sampling times are noted within the associated laboratory report for each collected sample

Samples analyzed by TestAmerica of North Canton, Ohio (Method 1631E).

TABLE 1 (continued)

Sample ID	Date Sampled / Results (ng/L, parts per trillion)					
	7/1-2/2013	8/1-2/2013	9/3-4/2013	10/1-2/2013	11/4-5/2013	12/xx/2013
River Intake	3.8	3.6	2.4	1.4	1.5	
Station 601 (7)	210,000	110,000	490,000	21,000	250,000	
Station 601 (7) [duplicate]	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	
Station 601 (8)	200,000	99,000	480,000	23,000	200,000	
Station 601 (8) [duplicate]	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	Not Collected	
Outfall 608	250	69	150	260	110	
Outfall 608 [duplicate]	240	63	150	270	110	
Outfall 608 [dissolved, 0.45 micron]	33	<0.50	14	26	3.1 H	
APB-002	4.0	6.6	2.2	3.7	3.8	
APB-002 [duplicate]	3.9	6.3	2.2	3.8	3.9	
Field Blank (RI-FB)	0.89	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	
Field Blank (WWT-FB)	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	
Field Blank (AP-FB)	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	
Trip Blank	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	<0.50	

Samples collected by URS (Method 1669)    Samples analyzed by TestAmerica of North Canton, Ohio

Sampling times are noted within the associated laboratory report for each collected sample

Samples analyzed by TestAmerica of North Canton, Ohio (Method 1631E).

H = Sample was prepped or analyzed beyond specified holding time

# TestAmerica

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## ANALYTICAL REPORT

TestAmerica Laboratories, Inc.

TestAmerica Canton

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TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

Client Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

For:

Duke Energy Corporation

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*Denise Pohl*

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*Results relate only to the items tested and the sample(s) as received by the laboratory.*



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## Definitions/Glossary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

### Qualifiers

#### Metals

Qualifier	Qualifier Description
U	Indicates the analyte was analyzed for but not detected.
H	Sample was prepped or analyzed beyond the specified holding time

### Glossary

Abbreviation	These commonly used abbreviations may or may not be present in this report.
α	Listed under the "D" column to designate that the result is reported on a dry weight basis
%R	Percent Recovery
CNF	Contains no Free Liquid
DER	Duplicate error ratio (normalized absolute difference)
Dil Fac	Dilution Factor
DL, RA, RE, IN	Indicates a Dilution, Re-analysis, Re-extraction, or additional Initial metals/anion analysis of the sample
DLC	Decision level concentration
MDA	Minimum detectable activity
EDL	Estimated Detection Limit
MDC	Minimum detectable concentration
MDL	Method Detection Limit
ML	Minimum Level (Dioxin)
NC	Not Calculated
ND	Not detected at the reporting limit (or MDL or EDL if shown)
PQL	Practical Quantitation Limit
QC	Quality Control
RER	Relative error ratio
RL	Reporting Limit or Requested Limit (Radiochemistry)
RPD	Relative Percent Difference, a measure of the relative difference between two points
TEF	Toxicity Equivalent Factor (Dioxin)
TEQ	Toxicity Equivalent Quotient (Dioxin)

## Case Narrative

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Job ID: 240-31061-1**

**Laboratory: TestAmerica Canton**

**Narrative**

### CASE NARRATIVE

**Client: Duke Energy Corporation**

**Project: Miami Fort Station**

**Report Number: 240-31061-1**

With the exceptions noted as flags or footnotes, standard analytical protocols were followed in the analysis of the samples and no problems were encountered or anomalies observed. In addition all laboratory quality control samples were within established control limits, with any exceptions noted below. Each sample was analyzed to achieve the lowest possible reporting limit within the constraints of the method. In some cases, due to interference or analytes present at high concentrations, samples were diluted. For diluted samples, the reporting limits are adjusted relative to the dilution required.

TestAmerica Canton attests to the validity of the laboratory data generated by TestAmerica facilities reported herein. All analyses performed by TestAmerica facilities were done using established laboratory SOPs that incorporate QA/QC procedures described in the application methods. TestAmerica's operations groups have reviewed the data for compliance with the laboratory QA/QC plan, and data have been found to be compliant with laboratory protocols unless otherwise noted below.

The test results in this report meet all NELAP requirements for parameters for which accreditation is required or available. Any exceptions to NELAP requirements are noted in this report. Pursuant to NELAP, this report may not be reproduced, except in full, without the written approval of the laboratory.

Calculations are performed before rounding to avoid round-off errors in calculated results.

All holding times were met and proper preservation noted for the methods performed on these samples, unless otherwise detailed in the individual sections below.

All solid sample results are reported on an "as received" basis unless otherwise indicated by the presence of a % solids value in the method header.

This laboratory report is confidential and is intended for the sole use of TestAmerica and its client.

#### **RECEIPT**

The samples were received on 11/06/2013; the samples arrived in good condition. The temperature of the cooler at receipt was 13.8 C.

#### **DISSOLVED LOW LEVEL MERCURY**

Sample OUTFALL 608 DISS (240-31061-8) was analyzed for dissolved Low Level Mercury in accordance with EPA Method 1631E. The samples were prepared and analyzed on 11/11/2013.

Sample OUTFALL 608 DISS (240-31061-8)[2X] required dilution prior to analysis. The reporting limits have been adjusted accordingly.

Method(s) 1631E: Sample was filtered 4 hours past the recommended filtration holding time due to analyst oversight.

No other difficulties were encountered during the Low Level Mercury analysis.

All other quality control parameters were within the acceptance limits.

#### **LOW LEVEL MERCURY**

Samples STATION 601 (7) WWT (240-31061-1), STATION 601 (8) WWT (240-31061-2), RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB (240-31061-3), RIVER INTAKE (RI) (240-31061-4), OUTFALL 608 FB (240-31061-5), OUTFALL 608 (240-31061-6), OUTFALL 608 DUP (240-31061-7), OUTFALL



## Case Narrative

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

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### Job ID: 240-31061-1 (Continued)

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#### Laboratory: TestAmerica Canton (Continued)

002 FB (240-31061-9), OUTFALL 002 (240-31061-10), OUTFALL 002 DUP (240-31061-11) and TRIP BLANK (240-31061-12) were analyzed for Low Level Mercury in accordance with EPA Method 1631E. The samples were prepared and analyzed on 11/11/2013.

Samples STATION 601 (7) WWT (240-31061-1)[1000X], STATION 601 (8) WWT (240-31061-2)[1000X], OUTFALL 608 (240-31061-6)[10X] and OUTFALL 608 DUP (240-31061-7)[10X] required dilution prior to analysis. The reporting limits have been adjusted accordingly.

No difficulties were encountered during the Low Level Mercury analysis.

All quality control parameters were within the acceptance limits.

## Method Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

Method	Method Description	Protocol	Laboratory
1631E	Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)	EPA	TAL CAN

**Protocol References:**

EPA = US Environmental Protection Agency

**Laboratory References:**

TAL CAN = TestAmerica Canton, 4101 Shuffel Street NW, North Canton, OH 44720, TEL (330)497-9396

## Sample Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Matrix	Collected	Received
240-31061-1	STATION 601 (7) WWT	Water	11/04/13 16:45	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-2	STATION 601 (8) WWT	Water	11/04/13 16:55	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-3	RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB	Water	11/04/13 17:10	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-4	RIVER INTAKE (RI)	Water	11/04/13 17:15	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-5	OUTFALL 608 FB	Water	11/05/13 09:20	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-6	OUTFALL 608	Water	11/05/13 09:25	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-7	OUTFALL 608 DUP	Water	11/05/13 09:30	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-8	OUTFALL 608 DISS	Water	11/05/13 09:35	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-9	OUTFALL 002 FB	Water	11/05/13 09:50	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-10	OUTFALL 002	Water	11/05/13 09:55	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-11	OUTFALL 002 DUP	Water	11/05/13 10:00	11/06/13 09:05
240-31061-12	TRIP BLANK	Water	11/05/13 00:00	11/06/13 09:05

## Detection Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

### Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (7) WWT

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-1

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	250000		5000	ng/L	1000		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (8) WWT

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-2

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	200000		5000	ng/L	1000		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-3

No Detections.

### Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI)

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-4

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	1.5		0.50	ng/L	1		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 FB

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-5

No Detections.

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-6

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	110		5.0	ng/L	10		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DUP

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-7

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	110		5.0	ng/L	10		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DISS

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-8

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	3.1	H	1.0	ng/L	2		1631E	Dissolved

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 FB

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-9

No Detections.

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-10

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	3.8		0.50	ng/L	1		1631E	Total/NA

### Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 DUP

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-11

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	Dil Fac	D	Method	Prep Type
Mercury	3.9		0.50	ng/L	1		1631E	Total/NA

This Detection Summary does not include radiochemical test results.

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## Detection Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: TRIP BLANK**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-12**

No Detections.

This Detection Summary does not include radiochemical test results.

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## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (7) WWT**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-1**

**Date Collected: 11/04/13 16:45**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	250000		5000	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:08	1000

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (8) WWT**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-2**

**Date Collected: 11/04/13 16:55**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	200000		5000	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:12	1000

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-3**

**Date Collected: 11/04/13 17:10**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 12:40	1



## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI)**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-4**

**Date Collected: 11/04/13 17:15**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	1.5		0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 12:45	1

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 FB**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-5**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:20**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 12:49	1

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-6**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:25**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	110		5.0	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:27	10

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DUP**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-7**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:30**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	110		5.0	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:31	10

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DISS**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-8**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:35**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS) - Dissolved**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	3.1	H	1.0	ng/L		11/11/13 10:28	11/11/13 14:47	2

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 FB**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-9**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:50**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:36	1

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-10**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:55**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	3.8		0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:40	1

## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 DUP**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-11**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 10:00**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	3.9		0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:51	1



## Client Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

**Client Sample ID: TRIP BLANK**

**Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-12**

**Date Collected: 11/05/13 00:00**

**Matrix: Water**

**Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05**

**Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)**

Analyte	Result	Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 11:55	1

# QC Sample Results

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

## Method: 1631E - Mercury, Low Level (CVAFS)

Lab Sample ID: MB 240-109230/1-A

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: Method Blank

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109230

Analyte	MB Result	MB Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:19	11/11/13 10:41	1

Lab Sample ID: LCS 240-109230/2-A

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: Lab Control Sample

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109230

Analyte	Spike Added	LCS Result	LCS Qualifier	Unit	D	%Rec	%Rec. Limits
Mercury	5.00	4.90		ng/L		98	77 - 123

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-10 MS

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109230

Analyte	Sample Result	Sample Qualifier	Spike Added	MS Result	MS Qualifier	Unit	D	%Rec	%Rec. Limits
Mercury	3.8		5.00	8.51		ng/L		95	71 - 125

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-10 MSD

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109230

Analyte	Sample Result	Sample Qualifier	Spike Added	MSD Result	MSD Qualifier	Unit	D	%Rec	%Rec. Limits	RPD	RPD Limit
Mercury	3.8		5.00	8.45		ng/L		94	71 - 125	1	24

Lab Sample ID: MB 240-109234/1-A

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: Method Blank

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109234

Analyte	MB Result	MB Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:28	11/11/13 13:41	1

Lab Sample ID: LCS 240-109234/2-A

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: Lab Control Sample

Prep Type: Total/NA

Prep Batch: 109234

Analyte	Spike Added	LCS Result	LCS Qualifier	Unit	D	%Rec	%Rec. Limits
Mercury	5.00	4.52		ng/L		90	77 - 123

Lab Sample ID: PB 240-109249/1-B PB

Matrix: Water

Analysis Batch: 109314

Client Sample ID: Method Blank

Prep Type: Dissolved

Prep Batch: 109234

Analyte	PB Result	PB Qualifier	RL	Unit	D	Prepared	Analyzed	Dil Fac
Mercury	0.50	U	0.50	ng/L		11/11/13 10:28	11/11/13 14:43	1

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# QC Association Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

## Metals

### Prep Batch: 109230

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
240-31061-1	STATION 601 (7) WWT	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-2	STATION 601 (8) WWT	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-3	RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-4	RIVER INTAKE (RI)	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-5	OUTFALL 608 FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-6	OUTFALL 608	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-7	OUTFALL 608 DUP	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-9	OUTFALL 002 FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-10	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-10 MS	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-10 MSD	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-11	OUTFALL 002 DUP	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
240-31061-12	TRIP BLANK	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
LCS 240-109230/2-A	Lab Control Sample	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
MB 240-109230/1-A	Method Blank	Total/NA	Water	1631E	

### Prep Batch: 109234

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
240-31061-8	OUTFALL 608 DISS	Dissolved	Water	1631E	109249
LCS 240-109234/2-A	Lab Control Sample	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
MB 240-109234/1-A	Method Blank	Total/NA	Water	1631E	
PB 240-109249/1-B PB	Method Blank	Dissolved	Water	1631E	109249

### Filtration Batch: 109249

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
240-31061-8	OUTFALL 608 DISS	Dissolved	Water	Filtration	
PB 240-109249/1-B PB	Method Blank	Dissolved	Water	Filtration	

### Analysis Batch: 109314

Lab Sample ID	Client Sample ID	Prep Type	Matrix	Method	Prep Batch
240-31061-1	STATION 601 (7) WWT	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-2	STATION 601 (8) WWT	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-3	RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-4	RIVER INTAKE (RI)	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-5	OUTFALL 608 FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-6	OUTFALL 608	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-7	OUTFALL 608 DUP	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-8	OUTFALL 608 DISS	Dissolved	Water	1631E	109234
240-31061-9	OUTFALL 002 FB	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-10	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-10 MS	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-10 MSD	OUTFALL 002	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-11	OUTFALL 002 DUP	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
240-31061-12	TRIP BLANK	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
LCS 240-109230/2-A	Lab Control Sample	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
LCS 240-109234/2-A	Lab Control Sample	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109234
MB 240-109230/1-A	Method Blank	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109230
MB 240-109234/1-A	Method Blank	Total/NA	Water	1631E	109234
PB 240-109249/1-B PB	Method Blank	Dissolved	Water	1631E	109234

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# Lab Chronicle

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

## Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (7) WWT

Date Collected: 11/04/13 16:45

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-1

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1000	109314	11/11/13 11:08	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: STATION 601 (8) WWT

Date Collected: 11/04/13 16:55

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-2

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1000	109314	11/11/13 11:12	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI) FB

Date Collected: 11/04/13 17:10

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-3

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 12:40	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: RIVER INTAKE (RI)

Date Collected: 11/04/13 17:15

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-4

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 12:45	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 FB

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:20

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-5

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 12:49	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:25

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-6

Matrix: Water

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		10	109314	11/11/13 11:27	DSH	TAL CAN

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Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DUP

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-7

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:30

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		10	109314	11/11/13 11:31	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 608 DISS

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-8

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:35

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Dissolved	Filtration	Filtration			109249	11/07/13 13:42	DSH	TAL CAN
Dissolved	Prep	1631E			109234	11/11/13 10:28	DSH	TAL CAN
Dissolved	Analysis	1631E		2	109314	11/11/13 14:47	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 FB

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-9

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:50

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 11:36	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-10

Date Collected: 11/05/13 09:55

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 11:40	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: OUTFALL 002 DUP

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-11

Date Collected: 11/05/13 10:00

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 11:51	DSH	TAL CAN

## Client Sample ID: TRIP BLANK

Lab Sample ID: 240-31061-12

Date Collected: 11/05/13 00:00

Matrix: Water

Date Received: 11/06/13 09:05

Prep Type	Batch Type	Batch Method	Run	Dilution Factor	Batch Number	Prepared or Analyzed	Analyst	Lab
Total/NA	Prep	1631E			109230	11/11/13 10:19	DSH	TAL CAN
Total/NA	Analysis	1631E		1	109314	11/11/13 11:55	DSH	TAL CAN

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Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

Laboratory References:

TAL CAN = TestAmerica Canton, 4101 Shuffel Street NW, North Canton, OH 44720, TEL (330)497-9396

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## Certification Summary

Client: Duke Energy Corporation  
Project/Site: Miami Fort Station - J13110305

TestAmerica Job ID: 240-31061-1

### Laboratory: TestAmerica Canton

All certifications held by this laboratory are listed. Not all certifications are applicable to this report.

Authority	Program	EPA Region	Certification ID	Expiration Date
California	NELAP	9	01144CA	06-30-14
Connecticut	State Program	1	PH-0590	12-31-13
Florida	NELAP	4	E87225	06-30-14
Georgia	State Program	4	N/A	06-30-14
Illinois	NELAP	5	200004	07-31-14 *
Kansas	NELAP	7	E-10336	01-31-14
Kentucky	State Program	4	58	06-30-14
L-A-B	DoD ELAP		L2315	07-18-16
Nevada	State Program	9	OH-000482008A	07-31-14
New Jersey	NELAP	2	OH001	06-30-14
New York	NELAP	2	10975	04-01-14
Ohio VAP	State Program	5	CL0024	10-31-15
Pennsylvania	NELAP	3	68-00340	08-31-14 *
Texas	NELAP	6		08-31-14 *
USDA	Federal		P330-13-00319	11-26-16
Virginia	NELAP	3	460175	09-14-14
Washington	State Program	10	C971	01-12-14
West Virginia DEP	State Program	3	210	12-31-13
Wisconsin	State Program	5	999518190	08-31-14

\* Expired certification is currently pending renewal and is considered valid.

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**CHAIN OF CUSTODY  
AND  
RECEIVING DOCUMENTS**



240-31061 Chain of Custody





For Detailed Instructions, see:  
<http://dewwww/essenv/coc/>

# CHAIN OF CUSTODY RECORD AND ANALYSIS REQUEST FORM

Mail Code MGO3A2 (Building 7405)  
13339 Hagers Ferry Rd  
Huntersville, N. C. 28078  
(704) 875-5245  
Fax: (704) 875-4349

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DISTRIBUTION  
ORIGINAL to LAB,  
COPY to CLIENT

For Detailed Instructions, see:  
<http://dewwww/essemv/coc/>

Analytical Laboratory Services

Mail Code MGO3A2 (Building 7405)  
13339 Hagers Ferry Rd  
Huntersville, N. C. 28078  
(704) 875-5245  
Fax: (704) 875-4349

1) Project

NPDES - Monthly(Hg-1631)

2) Phone No:  
513-467-4950

3) Client Miami Fort Station - Michael Byrd

4) Fax No:

5) Corp:

6) Center:

7) Mail Code:

8) Work Code:

9) LOB:

LAB USE ONLY

12) Vendor ID# 13 Sample Description or ID

Station 601 (7) WWT

Station 601 (8) WWT

River Intake (RI) FB \*

River Intake (RI)

Outfall 608 FB \*

Outfall 608

Outfall 608 Dup

Outfall 608 Diss

Outfall 002 FB \*

Outfall 002

Outfall 002 Dup

Trip Blank

Customer to complete appropriate columns to right

Customer to sign & date below

21) Relinquished By

Date/Time 11-5-13 / 1325

Relinquished By

Date/Time 11-5-13 / 1500

Relinquished By

Date/Time

23) Seal/Locked By

Date/Time

24) Comments \* (0.45micron, laboratory to filter)

Laboratory S.D.M.Hed under state VOA w/ DT - 2 provided (normally 3 provided). Therefore = 2 by 1 VOA.

Analytical Laboratory Use Only

LIMS # Sample Class NPDES Samples Originating From OH\_X\_

Logged By Date & Time

Vendor

URS (sample)  
Test America (v.lab)

IPO #

Cooler Temp (C)

Preserv.: 1=HCl  
2=H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> 3=HNO<sub>3</sub>  
4=Ice 5=None

Customer to complete all  
appropriate NON-SHADED areas.

Collection Information

Date Time Signature

11-4-13 1045 [Signature]

↓ 1055 [Signature]

11-4-13 1710 [Signature]

↓ 1715 [Signature]

11-5-13 0920 [Signature]

↓ 0925 [Signature]

↓ 0930 [Signature]

↓ 0935 [Signature]

11-5-13 0950 [Signature]

↓ 0955 [Signature]

↓ 1000 [Signature]

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Analysis Required

Comp. Grab

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x x

Date/Time

11-5-13 / 1325

Date/Time

11-6-13 0955

Date/Time

Date/Time

Customer, Important  
please indicate  
desired turnaround

## TestAmerica Canton Sample Receipt Form/Narrative

Login #: 31001

## Canton Facility

Client <u>Duke Energy</u>	Site Name _____	Cooler unpacked by: <u>Michael Heer</u>
Cooler Received on <u>11-6-13</u>	Opened on <u>11-6-13</u>	
FedEx: 1 <sup>st</sup> <u>Grd</u> Exp UPS FAS Stetson Client Drop Off TestAmerica Courier Other _____		
TestAmerica Cooler # _____	Foam Box <u>Client Cooler</u> Box Other _____	
Packing material used: <u>Bubble Wrap</u> Foam Plastic Bag None Other _____		
COOLANT: <u>Wet Ice</u> Blue Ice Dry Ice Water None		

- Cooler temperature upon receipt
 

IR GUN# A (CF +2 °C) Observed Cooler Temp. _____ °C	Corrected Cooler Temp. _____ °C	<input type="checkbox"/> See Multiple Cooler Form Corrected
IR GUN# 4 (CF +1 °C) Observed Cooler Temp. _____ °C	Corrected Cooler Temp. _____ °C	
IR GUN# 5 (CF +2 °C) Observed Cooler Temp. _____ °C	Corrected Cooler Temp. _____ °C	
IR GUN# 8 (CF -0 °C) Observed Cooler Temp. <u>13.8</u> °C	Corrected Cooler Temp. <u>13.8</u> °C	
- Were custody seals on the outside of the cooler(s)? If Yes Quantity 1 Yes No Yes
  - Were custody seals on the outside of the cooler(s) signed & dated? Yes No NA
  - Were custody seals on the bottle(s)? Yes No
- Shippers' packing slip attached to the cooler(s)? Yes No
- Did custody papers accompany the sample(s)? Yes No
- Were the custody papers relinquished & signed in the appropriate place? Yes No
- Did all bottles arrive in good condition (Unbroken)? Yes No
- Could all bottle labels be reconciled with the COC? Yes No
- Were correct bottle(s) used for the test(s) indicated? Yes No
- Sufficient quantity received to perform indicated analyses? Yes No
- Were sample(s) at the correct pH upon receipt? Yes No NA pH Strip Lot# HC385663
- Were VOAs on the COC? Yes No NA
- Were air bubbles >6 mm in any VOA vials? Yes No NA
- Was a trip blank present in the cooler(s)? Yes No NA

Contacted PM \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_ via Verbal Voice Mail Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Concerning \_\_\_\_\_

## 14. CHAIN OF CUSTODY &amp; SAMPLE DISCREPANCIES

Samples processed by:

High temp, low level samples

## 15. SAMPLE CONDITION

Sample(s) \_\_\_\_\_ were received after the recommended holding time had expired.

Sample(s) \_\_\_\_\_ were received in a broken container.

Sample(s) \_\_\_\_\_ were received with bubble >6 mm in diameter. (Notify PM)

## 16. SAMPLE PRESERVATION

Sample(s) \_\_\_\_\_ were further preserved in the laboratory.

Time preserved: \_\_\_\_\_ Preservative(s) added/Lot number(s): \_\_\_\_\_